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HIGHWAY SAFETY DIRECTOR FEELS PRESENT SYSTEM PROTECTS GUILTY PARTIES

The Director of the Maine Highway Safety Committee is concerned with the latest trend in criminal cases which seem to protect the guilty and leave the innocent to fend for themselves.

Peter A. McKenney joined law enforcement officials in criticizing trends in enforcement. He said that gully drivers often go free simply because they pit the services of an attorney against a police officer. McKenney said that the police officer is trained to gather evidence and present that evidence at the time of trial. The legal procedure, under the American system of jurisprudence, is left to those trained as lawyers. "However," said McKenney, "the police officer often finds himself as the prosecuting officer, a job for which he is not only ill equipped, but one that demands the services of a trained attorney."

McKenney admitted that county attorneys are responsible for prosecuting traffic cases, but pointed out that the case load is so heavy that the part-time county attorney is swamped only with the more pressing cases. It is rare when he can find the time to prosecute a regular traffic offense and even more when he can put the necessary time into preparing a case against a more flagrant violator. "The system is now turned towards the police officer for the bulk of the prosecution and he finds himself in the troubled position of prosecuting his own case in a so-called impartial manner," the safety director said.

McKenney said that full time county or district attorneys will alleviate the problem.

The monthly meeting of the W. S. C. S. will be held at the Methodist Church on Thursday, March 21, at 7:30. Hostesses are Mrs. Dorothy Abbott and Mrs. Annie Gordon. Mrs. Jackie Stebbins has the program and will give a talk on Vietnamese women.

WHAT DO TITLE III FUNDS MEAN FOR STUDENTS OF TELSTAR REGIONAL H. S.?

Ralph K. Ryder, Superintendent of Schools, and the Directors of Maine School Administrative District 44 were recently notified by the office of Education in Washington, D. C., that an application for federal funds under E.S.E.A. Title III had been granted. The grant for \$36,000.00 will enable the teachers and administrators to study and adapt flexible modular scheduling at Telstar Regional High School.

Modular scheduling is not new, and this is not an experiment. The basis for the SAD 44 grant is to develop a manual method of programming flexible school and student schedules without the use of electronic data processing. Up to this time, most flexible scheduling has involved the use of computerized machines. The computerized method is costly to a District, and many times, not within the budgetary means of a community. Because of budgetary limitations, students in rural areas can not experience the benefits which flexible schedules can provide. The anticipated manual method will hopefully provide this flexibility at less cost.

What is modular scheduling? A module, as referred to, is a unit of time. Many schools are programmed on standard 45 or 50-minute modules or standard classroom periods. Under the proposed method, a large 45-minute period is broken down into parts which are also called modules or "mods." It is anticipated that Telstar will be scheduled on the basis of 24 fifteen minute modules per day. A class period will be multiples of several of these 15-minute modules. For example, a class may meet for 30, 45, 60, 75 minutes, or any number of these 15-minute modules as determined by the nature of the material being

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

Leo Gagnon, Assessors' Clerk from Rumford, is to meet with the selectmen Monday, night, March 18, to discuss land values here in Bethel. Mr. Gagnon has done the routine work on assessing here in town for some time. This year Rumford has had a revaluation and his experience with that should be of assistance doing our assessing.

Taxpayers may send the lists of their property to the Town Office anytime, providing the items on the list are what they will have on April 1. We have received several. If these are sent in promptly it is a great help, also the taxpayer protects himself by having a list on file.

Elwyn N. Dickey

SENIOR CITIZENS MEETING TUESDAY ATTRACTS 73

Garland Chapel was the meeting place on Tuesday for seventy-three members and guests of the local group of Senior Citizens.

The Bethel Society of Catholic Women served a bounteous roast turkey meal at noon. Rev. C. W. Laws was guest pastor. The president, Mrs. Walter Bond, extended a gracious welcome to new members, Mrs. Virginia McMillin, Mrs. Croteau, Mrs. Irene Hutchinson, Mrs. Robert Lincoln and Oswald Ramage. She acknowledged with pleasure the return of several recently ill members.

Mr. and Mrs. William Young received an applause on celebrating their 48th wedding anniversary. March birthdays cheered were Mrs. Edna Smith, Mrs. Gladys Guernsey, Mrs. Harriett Forbes, Mrs. Jennie Judkins, Mrs. Virgie McMillin, Dan Forbes and Roy Moore.

A brief lecture and description and a film on the Andover Satellite Station was given by guest speaker B. L. Falkofski, working station manager.

Mrs. Frank Vogt Sr. led group singing of a group of Irish songs honoring St. Patrick's Day.

The Bethel Snow Twisters will hold a meeting at the Legion rooms on Wednesday, March 20, at 7:30 p. m.

BETHEL PLANNING BOARD TO MEET TUESDAY

There will be a meeting of the Bethel Planning Board on Tuesday, March 19, at 7:30 p. m. in the Selectmen's Office.

WORKSHOPS FOR SAD 44 TEACHERS TO BE HELD NEXT WEDNESDAY

There will be a curriculum workshop for teachers of grades 7-12, SAD 44, at Crescent Park School on Wednesday, March 20. The meeting is scheduled to start at 9:30 a. m. with specialists from the Holt, Rinehart, and Winston Co. present.

Teachers of the kindergarten through grade 6 will also be attending a workshop on March 20. No classes will be held in any of the district schools on Wednesday, March 20.

ANNUAL SMORGASBORD TO BE HELD APRIL 13

The smorgasbord and dance sponsored annually by the Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital will be held at the William Gingham Gymnasium on Saturday, April 13.

Tickets for Bethel residents may be reserved by calling Mrs. Lawrence Brown, beginning March 18. On April 1, any remaining tickets will be offered to the general public outside of Bethel.

Dancing will follow the smorgasbord with music provided by Art Lee's Orchestra, formerly Malcolm Smith's.

Mrs. Dan Manson is general chairman for the smorgasbord. Mrs. Albert Buck and Mrs. Colwyn Haskell are planning the bountiful food supply. Other chairmen are: Reservations, Mrs. Lawrence Brown; Setting-Up, Mrs. Leland Brown; Clean-Up, Mrs. Leslie Smith; and Publicity, Mrs. Wallace Saunders. Come and join your friends!

Miss Jeannie Robertson and friend of Portland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Crocker, Riverside, R. I., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Trenholm, Steven and Jimmy of Lowell, Mass., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perkins and Jim.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Menzies of Malden, Mass., were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry, on the week end.

Students have been holding numerous meetings for the purpose of designing these courses. It is expected that within a month, this material will be ready for dissemination and discussion. Plans are being made to conduct a series of meetings at the various schools throughout the District to present this material to students, parents, and all interested townspeople.

POINT IN PASSING

The person who has no self-experiences just as many emotions just as intensely as the person who lacks no self. The difference is that when the person feels the stress of fear, anger, anxiety, etc., he does not reflect it in his speech, actions or gestures. The person who has developed attitudes toward himself and others which reflect security instead of stress; he has self-confidence and self-respect.—Edward R. Pinckney, M. D., and Cathie Pinckney.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS VOTE TO OFFER CONTRACTS TO PROSPECTIVE TEACHERS

The directors of School Administrative District No. 44 voted at their regular meeting in Andover Monday night to offer contracts to five prospective teachers for the staff at Telstar Regional High School, slated to open in September of this year.

Instructors slated to be offered contracts are:

Lawrence A. Arsenault, Hebron, to teach science and be science department chairman. A graduate of Higgins Classical Institute in 1953, he has a B.S. in education from Farmington State College and a master's degree in science. He has been an elementary teacher-principal for the Hebron schools, from 1957-67 was instructor of astronomy, geology, mathematics and earth science at Hebron Academy. He has taught at Farmington and Gorham State Colleges during the summers of 1963-65.

Mrs. Venessa Arsenault to teach home economics. Mrs. Arsenault holds a B. S. degree from Farmington State College. She has five years teaching experience, having taught at Hampden Academy, West Paris High School, Oxford Hills Junior High School and Webster Junior High School.

David C. Tripp to teach industrial arts. He holds a B. S. degree from Gorham State College and has taught at Lancaster (N. H.) High School, Wilson Junior High School, Natick, Mass., and Norwood (Mass.) Junior High School. Mr. Tripp has five years teaching experience.

Timothy A. LaVallee to teach physical education and be assistant football coach and varsity ski coach. He was graduated from Plymouth (N. H.) State College in 1967 with a B. Ed. degree. At present he is teaching at the E. S. Brown School, Swansea, Mass. Madame Jeanne Maria Thomlin-Desmazures to teach French. She has two baccalaureates and has studied at the Sorbonne. She has taught in Morocco; Dreux, France; and at the University of Maine and Gould Academy. She at the present, is residing in France.

Dexter Stowell of Bethel has been re-elected chairman of the board of directors, James Fliske of Bethel is vice-chairman.

Eight members of the board of directors were sworn in before the start of the meeting as follows: Theodore Chadbourn, William Cousins, and Joan T. Wiese, all of Bethel; Richard Melville, of Greenwood; Milton Mills, Woodstock; Paul Wight, Newry; John Ricker and Eddie Snyder, both of Andover.

The directors approved in principle a sabbatical leave policy. The policy deals with a full year's leave for further study or educational travel with half pay after seven consecutive years of service in the district, depending upon the district's requirements. The board decided further details would have to be decided later after a more detailed report was submitted by Supt. Ralph K. Ryder.

Gould Academy's Girls Ski Team attended a meet with Kennett High, Conway, N. H., at Wildcat Mountain on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchins and family moved over the week end to their new home on Bridge Street, which they recently purchased.

STATE TO POISON FOXES IN ATTEMPT TO CONTROL SPREAD OF RABIES

The geographic spread of the areas of rabies involvement in wildlife has placed the urban areas of Lewiston-Auburn, Augusta, Waterville, and possibly Bangor-Brewer in the path of the spreading epidemic. The Division of Communicable Disease Control announces that the foxes carrying the disease have crossed the Kennebec and Androscoggin Rivers which previously constituted a barrier to the spread of the disease. This movement directly threatens some of the more heavily populated areas of the state. Residents of these areas are warned to have their pets immunized against the illness and avoid contact with wild animals under all circumstances.

Lewiston-Auburn held a very successful animal immunization clinic under the sponsorship of the Androscoggin County SPCA in October, 1967, and this single move has provided a significant margin of protection for the residents of these areas and has assured many pet owners of the safety of their pets. Other similar community sponsored clinics have been held in Skowhegan and Livermore Falls. Maine veterinarians are well versed in the immunization procedures necessary to prevent rabies in animals.

Recently cases of rabies in foxes have been reported in Bethel, Chesterville, Farmington, Starks, Anson and Skowhegan — these cases are closer to the cities mentioned than ever before.

To Set Poison Bait

To reduce danger in the involved areas, the Department of Health and Welfare and Inland Fisheries and Game will poison foxes. The poison baits will be handled by trained personnel and will be retrieved by April 12 if not taken. The Department is concerned, however, that a few dogs may be accidentally poisoned if not confined for this entire period March 18 - May 1. The areas to be poisoned are two. One lies in Franklin, Oxford, and Somerset counties, and lies north of Norway, and west of Skowhegan. The other area is in Penobscot and Aroostook counties and lies north of Hainesville and Monarda, east of Millinocket and Fort Kent and south of Connor. In addition, the possibility that baits may be moved, covered by snow, or lost exists — therefore, area owners must confine their pets until May 1 to be sure.

Schedules and towns for fox poisoning program:

Area One — Franklin, Oxford and Somerset Counties — March 18-22: Stoneham, Mason Twp., Albany, Bethel, Greenwood, West Paris, Woodstock, Milton, Peru, Dixfield, Rumford, Norridgewock, Skowhegan, Mexico, Canton, Jay, Wilton, Farmington, Chesterville, Vienna, New Sharon, Starks, Madison, Solon, Bingham, Moscow, Anson, Embden, Concord, Pleasant River Plt., Mercer, Kingfield.

March 25-April 12: Parker-town, Lincoln Plt., Magalloway Plt., Upton, Grafton, Riley, Gil-ead, Newry, Richardsontown, Adams-town, Lower Cuscutic, Doyle, Rangeley Plt., Byron, Roxbury, Carthage, Weld, Sandy River Plt., Dallas Plt., Lang T2 R3, Colpin Plt., Redington, Mad-rld, Phillips, Avon, Perkins Twp., Freeman, Twp., Salem Twp., Mt. Abraham, Crockettown, Jerusa-

MEETING MARCH 25 TO DISCUSS POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY

There will be a public meeting held at Odeon Hall, on Monday, March 25, at 7:30 p. m. to discuss the proposed pollution control facilities for the town of Bethel. These proposals are from a report prepared by the Edward C. Jordan Co., Inc., of Portland, civil and sanitary engineers.

The report and recommendation of the Jordan Company were financed by a planning grant by the Maine Water and Air Environmental Control Commission and a planning advance by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. A representative of the Jordan Company will be present at the meeting to explain his firm's proposal and answer queries concerning financing, etc.

It has been estimated that the total cost of the project will be about \$520,000. Depending on the availability of various State and Federal funds, it is anticipated that local cost will be in the \$150,000-\$200,000 range.

Also slated to be discussed at the meeting is "An Act to Create a Sewer District in the Town of Bethel." This act was enacted by the 103rd Maine Legislature, subject to approval by Bethel voters in referendum. The Bethel selectmen have expressed opinions favoring the formation of a district, rather than operating the sewers and treatment facilities as a municipal department.

BETHEL FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTS OFFICERS

At their annual meeting last Thursday evening, March 7, the Bethel Volunteer Fire Department elected the following as officers: Chief, Harold Carver; 1st Assistant Chief, Robert Davis; 2nd Assistant Chief, Harold Rolfe; Captain, Lawrence Davis; 1st Lieutenant, Dennis Wilson; 2nd Lieutenant, Thomas Kennagh; Clerk, Hugh Chapman.

PLANS BEING CONSIDERED TO BUILD CATHOLIC CHURCH ON ROUTE 26 LOCATION

At a meeting of the Bethel Catholic Council held last week it was unanimously voted that a Catholic Church be built here. Under the direction of building chairman, Maurice Roy, Bethel, plans were gathered for consideration with ground-breaking slated for the spring.

Initial plans call for an A-frame type of construction capable of seating up to 400 to be situated on land owned by the Church directly across from the new Telstar Regional High School. A multi-purpose building is envisioned; one which may be used for recreational, educational and social purposes as well as religious functions.

Members of the Bethel Catholic Council are: John Frankiewicz, Chairman; Frank Vogt, Vice-chairman; John Price, Maurice Roy, Susan Farrar, Charles Farrar, Kay McMillin, and Michael O'Donnell of Bethel; Malcolm Packard and Connie Blanchard of Locke Mills.

Jern, Wyman, Andover, Rangeley, Temple, Industry, New Vineyard, New Portland, Lexington, Highland Plt.

The Department has stated that the control program cannot in any way be harmful to people.

American Legion

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GAME PARTY

Legion Hall — Locke Mills

Every Friday—7:30 p. m.

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ANDOVER-E. ANDOVER

— Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres. —

Mrs. Howard Marston, Mrs. Archer Poor, Jr., Mrs. Howard Dunning and Mrs. Thomas Learned visited with Miss Freda Delong in Littleton, N. H., on March 8.

The first Friday Club meeting of this year will be held at the Christian Education Building on Friday, March 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leach and family, East Blue Hill, have moved into the Fitzherbert house on upper Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Corliss and family, Connecticut, have moved into the former Coach House. He is employed at the Oxford mill.

Selectmen Charles Cutting and Harold Falkenham, Town Treasurer and Tax Collector, Mrs. Howard Marston and Town Clerk, Mrs. Everett Dresser, were in Oxford on March 7 and attend the Oxford County Municipal Officers meeting. Mrs. Cutting also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Myshrahl, Brewer, have purchased the Morton House on Main Street.

Andover High Notes—Winner Again! Miss Alice Pearson, Grade 7, was the winner of the SAD 44 Spelling Contest held at Crescent Park on March 7. She will compete in the county spell-off sometime in April. Alice is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Nathaniel Pearson.

There will be a workshop for teachers Grades 7 through 12 on March 20 at Crescent Park in Bethel. Those grades will have no classes that day.

Another ranking term will close on March 22 and reports will be sent out on March 27.

Andover High Presents Three One-Act Plays — On Friday evening the Drama Club of AHS presented "His First Shave", "While the Toast Burned" and "School Room Bopors" at the Town Hall. The hall was filled with parents and friends. Participating in the "School Room Bopors" were Teachers: Phillip Mills, June Bailey, Harry Buswell, and Lee Frazier. Students were Beverly Coolidge, Harry Buswell, Chris Coolidge, Robert Sylvester, Martha Knox, Judy Spidell, Brenda Bailey, Peggy Marston, Lois Graham, Sandi Spidell, Richard Jodrey, Larry Stinson, Mike Spidell, Lee Frazier and Paul Salway. Cast of characters for the other two plays were printed last week. Make up committee: Sandi Spidell, Bev Coolidge and June Bailey. Properties Committee: Paula Poor, Bonnie Farrington, David Smith and Sandi Spidell. Tickets: David Hutchins. Director: Mrs. John Tebbets.

The Fire Department was called out at 5:45 a. m. on March 8 for a fire at the Elm Street School. Sparks from the chimney had started a roof fire. Fire Chief Roger Mills Jr. estimated the damage at \$50. Trucks returned to their stations at 6:20.

The Road Commissioner, J. Mervin Farrington, has the new town truck ready for use in the future. Dooryards will be plowed after each major snowstorm, as soon as the roads have been cleared.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sennett Sr. visited with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Hines in Brockton, Mass., several days last week.

Miss Ellen Davis has returned from a ten week visit with her brother and sister-in-law in Albuquerque, N. M. She is residing with her grandmother, Mrs. Waldo Peaslee.

Sp4 Harold Peaslee is attending MCO Medical School at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. His wife and family reside in Tacoma, Wash.

Miss Ann Morton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morton, Jr., started working as postal clerk at the Andover Post Office on March 2. She replaced Miss Ivy Thurston who recently retired. Miss Morton graduated from Andover High School in 1963.

Mrs. Walter Kittredge and two children have returned to their home in Florence, Mass., after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Feener. Mr. Kittredge is attending school in Albany, N. Y., in connection with his work.

Fourteen boys, accompanied by Rev. Nathaniel Pearson, Ralph Stinson and Clarence Bailey, spent Saturday ice fishing at Bryant Pond.

Andover Man Honored
U. S. Air Force First Lieutenant Michael K. Feener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Feener, Main

Street, has received the Air Medal at Mountain Home AFB, Idaho, for air action in Vietnam. Feener, a navigator, was decorated for meritorious service during aerial flights. He was cited for his outstanding airmanship and courage on successful and important missions under hazardous conditions. He is now at Mountain Home, Idaho, as a member of the Tactical Air Command.

The lieutenant, a graduate of Andover High School, earned his B. S. degree from the University of Maine where he is a member of Alpha Tau Omega. He received his commission in 1965 upon completion of Officers Training School.

His wife, Elizabeth, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Peters, 607 Pine Street, Rumford.

Andover Congregational Church News—On Sunday evening a group met at the church for an Old Fashioned Hymn Sing. Mrs. Herbert Knox accompanied the group at the organ. John Ricker showed a film strip "One Great Honor of Sharing". Refreshments were served later in the Educa-

tional Building. Next Sunday, March 17, Rumford Point Congregational Church has extended an invitation to the Andover church to a hymn sing.

Any persons or organization wishing to use the facilities of the church are asked to make arrangements with either the pastor, janitor or head trustee. Also make a note of such meetings on the Activity Calendar in the Christian Education Building.

The fire trucks were called out Sunday evening at 6:15 for a sawdust-bin fire at the Andover Wood Products. Approximately \$50 worth of damage was reported by Fire Chief Roger Mills Jr. Night watchman on duty was Archer Hutchins.

Many in town have received cards from Mrs. Ralph Thurston and Miss Ivy Thurston who have been spending the winter months in Daytona Beach, Fla. They expect to be home the 23rd.

Floyd Howard entered the Rumford Community Hospital on March 8. Mrs. Frank Dresser returned to her home on March 8 from the hospital after being in for observation.

WEST BETHEL

— Mrs. Lena Gilbert, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gordon, Paula and Peter, were in North Norway, on the week end to visit his brother and family.

Mrs. Edward Gordon, Miss Mabel Clough and Mrs. Bertha Bennett were in Portland recently. Miss Clough went for some dental work.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell Jr. were in Hanover, N. H., Saturday to visit their daughter, Rosemary. She is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Archie Mann Jr. and two daughters of California called on his aunt, Mrs. Lena Westleigh last week. One of the daughters, Bonnie, is an airline stewardess.

Recent callers at Edna Newton's were Mrs. Leona Lurvey, Misses Clara and Edith Whitman, Mrs. Verria Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit McAuley and two daughters, Linda and Avis of Dixfield. Mrs. Newton is much improved at this writing.

Mrs. Bette Gilbert, who got a piece of bark in her eye March 4th while working at Hanover Dowel Co., has not been able to

return to work. She has been treated by Dr. Young and an eye specialist in Lewiston. She has been able the last few days to leave off the bandage and just wear dark glasses.

Miss Mary Burris and John Lockwood of Lewiston visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Dickson, Jr., and family of Rumford Friday night. They were all supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burris and Frankie Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert were in Boston to attend a gift show sponsored by several companies at the Parker House Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Eleanor Lovejoy and Miss Lillian Lovejoy were in Norway Saturday and visited Mrs. Una Jackson. Mrs. Lovejoy's son, Kenneth took them down.

Sp4 Jonathan Stowell and Mrs. Stowell spent the week end in Florence, Mass., guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stowell and family. They also visited Miss Rosemary Stowell at the Mary Hitchcock Hospital.

Mrs. Myrtle Emery and Joseph Perry visited her cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cobb at

Lynchville on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watts of Waterford were supper guests of Mrs. Emery and Mr. Perry Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Herrick and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmont Herrick at Mechanic Falls Saturday night.

Maurice Kendall was in Boston on Tuesday to see the eye specialist. Mr. Kendall hasn't been able to return to work since he got a piece of steel in his eye on January 27.

Albert Smith and daughter, Alice; Cleveland Lovejoy and daughter, Ellen; Randall Gilbert and daughters, Arlynn and Cheryl, attended the Father and Daughter Banquet at Bethel for the Girl Scouts Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Newton took his grandmother, Mrs. Edna Newton and Mrs. Marion Enman for a short ride Monday.

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**NEWRY**

— Miss Amy E. Hansen —

The benefit supper Bear River Grange Hall evening for Mr. and Wight and family was attended. People attended, West Bethel, 1 over, Greenwood, Rumford, Over \$207 was raised. Mr. and Mrs. Wight home by fire Feb. 21.

Miss Claire Bach Monday to enter nurse at the Thayer Memorial Waterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kline spending some time in land while recovering from illness.

ETS and Mrs. Donna Gaye and Carol, Ledy were week-end guests parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tripp.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. David Cheryl, Newburg, N. H. week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthurs, Bethel, called and Roger Hanscom evening.

Mrs. Virginia Learn Boston hospital for a

Mrs. Elizabeth Wight turned to her teaching the Raymond Foster School Ernest Holt substitute during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ed Sr., were guests of surprise party Friday at their 40th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Learned money, cards and gifts. Evening was enjoyed. Presented a May Rucker by their children grandchildren.

A luncheon was served of sandwiches, punch and three loaves. Attending besides the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Learned, Debra, She John, Vikki and Tammy. Mr. and Mrs. George Oly and George, Bethel Mrs. Norman Young Byron; Mr. and Mrs. Thurston and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony South Portland, who were to attend, called on the day. Others who were attend but sent gifts and Mrs. George Learn family, New Britain, and Mrs. Clayton Moulton family, Moodus, Conn. Mrs. Larry Cummings,

EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster —

Charles Bourne a Wakefield of Ogunquit Thursday guests of Mr. Urban Bartlett.

Gregory Howe and the University of Maine were week end guests Mrs. Rodney Howe.

Robert Brown was den Sunday with the Rifle and Pistol Club in the Fourteenth Annual

Mrs. Olva Whitman a Mr. and Mrs. David South Paris, and Mrs. Witt of Norway were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis.

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NEWRY

Miss Amy E. Hanscom, Cor. — The benefit supper held at the Bear River Grange Hall Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. John Wight and family was well attended. People attended from Bethel, West Bethel, Peru, Hanover, Greenwood, Rumford and Newry. Over \$207 was cleared. Mr. and Mrs. Wight lost their home by fire Feb. 21.

Miss Claire Bachelder left Monday to enter nurses training at the Thayer Memorial Hospital, Waterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kid Blair are spending some time in Rhode Island while recovering from illness.

ET8 and Mrs. Donald Hayner, Gaye and Carol, Ledyard, Conn., were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Tripp.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. David Lee and Cheryl, Newbury, N. Y., were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, Bethel, called on Amy and Roger Hanscom Saturday evening.

Mrs. Virginia Learned is in a Boston hospital for a check up.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wight has returned to her teaching duties at the Raymond Foster School. Mrs. Ernest Holt substituted for her during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Learned Sr., were guests of honor at a surprise party Friday evening on their 40th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Learned received money, cards and gifts and a social evening was enjoyed. They were presented a Maple Boston Rocker by their children and grandchildren.

A luncheon was served consisting of sandwiches, coffee, punch and three lovely cakes. Attending besides the honored guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Learned, Debra, Sheri, Cindy, John, Vikki and Tammy, Newry; Mr. and Mrs. George Olson, Kelly and George, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Young and Judy, Byron; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thurston and Karen, Rumford; Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pugliese, South Portland, who were unable to attend, called on them Sunday. Others who were unable to attend but sent gifts were Mr. and Mrs. George Learned, Jr., and family, New Britain, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mountain and family, Moodus, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cummings, Topsfield.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres. — Charles Bourne and Dana Wakefield of Ogunquit were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett.

Gregory Howe and a friend of the University of Maine, Orono, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe.

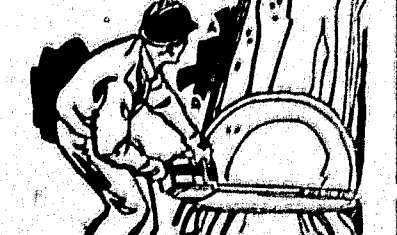
Robert Brown was in Hampden Sunday with the Rumford Rifle and Pistol Club to compete in the Fourteenth Annual Competition.

Mrs. Olva Whitman and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. David Young of South Paris, and Mrs. Mary DeWitt of Norway were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis.

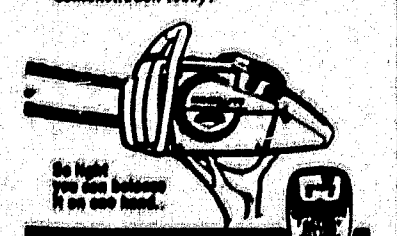
Pvt. Earl Coolidge graduates Friday from Medical Training at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. Then he will

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UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. — The annual Town meeting was held at the Grange Hall Saturday, March 9, starting at 10 a. m. Officers elected for the ensuing year were: 1st selectman, Fred S. Judkins; 2nd selectman, Horace Goodrum; 3rd selectman, Roland Bernier; clerk, Elsie Fuller; treasurer, Jennie L. Judkins; tax collector, Mary LeComte, 2% commission; a member school committee for 3 years, Glenn Abbott. Total appropriations were \$16,385.00. A good dinner was served by the ladies at noon, consisting of baked beans, brown bread, casseroles, salads, pies, cakes, coffee and milk, to about 50 people including children. Seven new names have been added to the voting list since last year making a total of 35 voters. New ones are George Scott, Glenn and Helen Abbott, Fred II and Judy Judkins, Earl and Sally Buck. Those attending from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Armand Lavallee, Lucille Largesse, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Judkins II. It was a beautiful, warm, sunshiny day, with a promise of spring in the air.

On Friday evening, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins were Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Judkins and family of Rumford Point; Robert Judkins of Norway; and Patricia Judkins, a student nurse in a Medford, Mass., hospital, bringing a birthday cake for Jennie Judkins.

On Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Philip Korhonen and three boys of Newry called on Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins, bringing another birthday cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Douglass went to Canada, Sunday, to a winter carnival and show.

On Wednesday last week Mrs. Mae Goodrum entertained her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Andres Goodreau Jr. of Colebrook, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodrum observed their 30th wedding anniversary on Feb. 20th. All their children and grandchildren from Berlin and Gorham, N. H. — Aubrey, Horace Jr., and Rosemary and their families — were present; also Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McKenna of Berlin, N. H.

There were several camps occupied over the week-end: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cyphers of Natick, Mass., at their camp; Michael Santosuosso Jr., and several friends from Southern New Hampshire took advantage of the good weather to do some ski-dooing; friends of Alden Nelson from Framingham, Mass., at his camp, and perhaps several others.

Mrs. Matt Brooks of the U. of M. visited her mother, Bea Judkins, Saturday.

Fred Judkins has bought three more helters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins attend Senior Citizens Tuesday of this week.

go to West Point, N. Y., to complete his training at the hospital there.

Mrs. Charles Knight of Oxford visited Mrs. Maggie Newton Sunday.

Dorrie Harrington spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crockett.

Miss Geneva Kimball was home from Saturday through Monday from her duties at the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston.

Mrs. Richard Cox visited Mrs. Randy Enman in Canton Saturday.

Leland Coolidge is in the Rumford Community Hospital with sprained muscles in his back.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball and Velora; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Coolidge and Rosalie were ice fishing Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Crockett of Bethel visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball Saturday evening.

Mrs. Roland Stearns and Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner called on Mrs. David Foster, Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Hastings is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Al Bancroft in Pittsfield for a few days.

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SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. — Most everyone went to town meeting Monday evening. The one new thing is a constable on this river.

Bruce Bailey was in Ketchum Saturday to see to the Morrison property.

A large crowd at the Sunday River Ski Inn over the week-end. Mrs. Helen Roderick is reported to be feeling much better right now.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaw were in Ketchum both Saturday and Sunday. They are preparing to be ready for the spring.

Harold Rich of Bethel and company called on Joe Roderick and R. M. Fleet, Sunday.

Well it was ski-doo to Ketchum Sunday as there was at least a dozen in one party that went by.

Saturday evening two coons came up on the snow bank and looked in the kitchen window.

Well, it's hard to find pussy willows this year as the road crews cut most of the bushes. But one sign's sure, the two crows came Friday back to their nestling site.

The sun came up nice and bright Sunday but soon was covered with a cloud to hide it. It was very much warmer this week.

THIRD GRADE BROWNIES

Third graders didn't have Scouting last year. The members are Nancy Brown, Brenda Buswell, Sandra Carver, Carolyn Cousins, Gail Dooen, Lauri Littlefield, Pauline Roy, Roberta Saunders, Cheryl Sessions, Catherine Smith, Betsy Terwilliger, Susan Vogt, Lorna Bean, Arlene Gilbert, and Robin Snyder. Leaders are Mrs. Leslie Smith and Mrs. William Cousins.

At our first meeting we heard the Brownie story and started learning our Brownie Promise and the Brownie B's. During our next two meetings we worked on situations which are made of oilcloth and newspaper. The last Thursday in November we made Advent wreaths with a candle to light each Sunday before Christmas. Then we made Christmas ornaments with eggshells and plastic foam and glitter. We sang Christmas carols. On December 13 we got our pins and ate the other kind of brownies. We made paper Christmas stockings with gifts of time in them for our parents. Our first meeting of 1968 was a Tenth Day of Christmas Party. We planned to have a Valentine Tea for our mothers. We acted out introductions wearing hats and gloves. Then we worked with real blue clay that comes from the ground. That was messy but fun. On Jan-

CARD OF THANKS

Card of thanks to the voters of Bethel for the judgement displayed in passing over the appropriation for insect control.

As an observing and practicing conservationist of many years I am convinced that the annual broadcast of poisonous spray kills useful insects and valuable song birds. (Do mosquitoes feed on foliage?)

As a result of your wisdom the summer of '68 promises fewer dead pollinating bees, fewer flower gardens and rose beds spoiled by sprayed oil solution and fewer leafy vegetables made unfit to use for greens and salads.

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9 A. M. - 5:30 P. M. - FRIDAYS 9 A. M. - 5 P. M.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. P. W. Croteau, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Soule and son, Allen, of Palermo, were recent guests of her sister and husband and family, the Joe Deegans.

Mrs. Joe Deegan and family were in Gorham, N. H., recently. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Keniston at Standish, Sunday, and again Tuesday.

Mrs. Annie Prince and Mrs. Elva Shuster of Norway were guests of Mrs. Frank Thompson, Thursday.

Joe Deegan accompanied his daughter, Kathy, to the Girl Scouts Father and Daughter Banquet one evening last week.

Miss Joan Deegan was the guest of Miss Muriel Boyce at East Bethel the end of the week and enjoyed a MYF hayride to Newry.

Mrs. Joe Deegan and son, Henry, attended Pomona Grange at Newry Corner Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Gloria Wilson of Gorham, N. H., visited Mrs. Alden Wilson Monday, March 4.

Mrs. E. L. Harrington and son, Raymond, were in Rumford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Pilotte of Berlin, N. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. A. Gilbert Saturday. Mr. Pilotte recently returned from a ski-doo trip to Canada with three friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collet and three daughters of Portland were Sunday guests of Mrs. Collet's parents, the J. E. A. Gilberts.

Mrs. Mervin Buck and son, Arthur, of Milton, were recent guests of Mrs. Dennis Wilson.

Malvern Wilson and sons of Gorham, N. H., were Sunday visitors at Alden Wilsons.

uary 25th Mrs. MacKay came to our meeting and helped us decorate cookies for our tea. They were beautiful in pink and green. We enjoyed that a lot. We have been working on our flag ceremony since the beginning of the year and can do it very well now. We made Valentine invitations for our tea and colored a tablecloth to use. We had our tea on February 15th and nearly all our mothers came. We showed them our Brownie Ring and flag ceremony and ate our beautiful cookies. During vacation we took a two mile hike up a logging road in East Bethel with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Littlefield. We had hot cocoa to go with our lunches and had a fire so we could cook marshmallows and make some-mores, but the chocolate was practically frozen. We picked up cones, moss and bark and made figures from these at our next meeting. We made place cards for the Father-Daughter Banquet and wrote invitations to our fathers. The West Bethel Brownies joined us for the rest of the year at this meeting and Cheryl got her pin and we ate brownies again. Gail Dooen, Cathy Smith and Susan Vogt were supposed to read this news at the banquet. Our display is at the Post Office.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and relatives who sent cards and flowers to me during my stay in the hospital.

Bill Von Zint

APPLICATION FOR BUILDING PERMIT

ROBERT A. LAMONTAGNE.
Trailer on permanent location. Lot 112 B, Map R-5. R-F Zone. Land presently owned by Ruel Swain. East side of Rte. 2, Robertson Hill.

Elwyn N. Diekey
Building Inspector, Bethel

BRYANT POND

Kathleen McAllister, Cor. — Louis Scotte is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring and Mrs. Bessie Andrews visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring and family at Freeport during the week-end.

Miss Jane Wardwell, U. of M., Orono, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell. She was on the honor roll and attended an awards banquet given to students in the Department of Life Science and Agriculture who have an accumulative average of 3.0 or higher.

Miss Betsy Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Rowe, is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mrs. Russell McAllister visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richard and family at Westbrook.

Miss Vera Evans, Gorham, N. H., spent the week-end with her cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Evans, Jr.

Little John Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Evans, Jr., is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Evans, Sr., Gorham, N. H.

Judith Grover Tent, DUV, met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Bessie Andrews with eleven members present. Mrs. Hazel Brooks, Mrs. Althea Chase, Miss Elaine Estes and Miss Maryann House were elected to become members of the Tent. A thank you note was received from Mrs. Beatrice Farnum. Thirty-seven calls were made by members. Get-well cards were sent to Mrs. Beatrice Farnum and Mrs. Ismay Hathaway and a birthday card to Mrs. Bessie Andrews. Special committee for the next meeting Mrs. Alice Wardwell and Mrs. Edith Hathaway. The program consisted of "Presidents", by Mrs. Edith Hathaway; St. Patrick's Day, Mrs. Alice Wardwell; Dr. Johnson's Picture Cow, Mrs. Edith Hathaway. Mrs. Alice Hoyt turned in \$50 from a commercial party. A party was held after the meeting. Members are to bring articles for a silent auction.

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SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Corres. — Miss Jane Wardwell returned to the University of Maine, Sunday night after spending the week-end at Bryant Pond and Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Scribner were at their camp for the week-end.

Recent callers at Roy Wardwell's have been Laurence Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister, "Bud" Horton, Mr. and Mrs. John Kingman and Manley Kimball from North Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell and Arthur Wardwell were in South Paris and Norway on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Scribner called at Wardwells Saturday.

tion to the next meeting. A lunch was served and Mrs. Bessie Andrews was presented with a birthday cake.

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West Parish

Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister
Sunday, March 17:
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Church School, 10:00.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.
Study Class meets on Thursdays at 8 p. m.

Bethel Methodist Church
Minister: Rev. George Stebbins
Phone: 824-2033
Address: Methodist Parsonage,
Box 204, Mason Street
Sunday, March 17:
Church School, 9:15 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.
Junior Youth Fellowship, 4:30 p. m.

Senior Youth Fellowship, 7:00 p. m.

Midweek Prayer — Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
The Friendly Church With A Redeeming Message.

Rev. Barbara C. Huse, Pastor
Sunday, March 17:
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. A class for every member of the family.

Morning Service, 11 a. m. Message, "Forgetful Hearers".

N. Y. P. S. meets at 6:15 p. m. Teens be prepared to answer questions on John 17-21 inclusive.

Adult Choir rehearsal for Easter music, 6:15 p. m.

Evening Service, 7 p. m. Message: "The Meaning of the Name 'Christian'".

Tuesday, March 19, Ladies Prayer Circle, Bible Study and Prayer for ladies of the church, 7 p. m., with Mrs. Ersel Murphy.

Wednesday, 7 p. m. Weekly Hour of Power-Prayer-Praise.

Saturday, March 23, Skowhegan Zone N. Y. P. S. Rally. Bible Quizzing. Special Music—Film—"The Gospel Billboard", 7 p. m.

Sunday School Winter Picnic at Robinsons, 10 a. m. — 2 p. m. Bring sandwiches, hot dogs and cocoa furnished by Sunday School. In bad weather postponed to following Saturday.

Christian Science
"Substance" is the subject of this week's Lesson Sermon to be read in all Christian Science churches Sunday.

The Golden Text is from Matthew: "If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you."

The Church of the Open Bible
Pastor, Milton Gross
Meeting in the home of the pastor at 15 Park St.

Sunday services:
9:45 a. m. Sunday School for all ages. Lessons from God's Word, the Bible.

1:00 p. m. Morning Worship Service. Messages on the earthly life of our Lord Jesus Christ.

7:00 p. m. A time of informal singing and studies in I Corinthians, "The Church in Action".

Wednesday evening service: 7:00. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting. Studies in The Revelation of Jesus Christ.

Everyone is cordially invited to any or all services.

"It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." Matthew 4:4.

Locke Mills Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor
Church services, 9:30 a. m.

Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

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SUNDAY

WMOU, 1230 kc., 8:15 a. m.

WQAN, 560 kc., 8:45 a. m.

WGOR, 1190 kc., 7:30 a. m.

WCOU, 1240 kc., 7:15 p. m.

Catholic Services
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Sundays at Odeon Hall.

Chapel of Christ the King
Episcopal
Holy Communion.
Odd Fellows Hall, Bethel.
Thursday, 6:30 p. m.
All are welcome.

West Bethel Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor
9:15, Sunday School.
10:30, Morning Worship Service.

6:30, Young Peoples' Meeting
7:30, Evening Service.

Bryant Pond Universalist Church
Sunday morning worship service at 9 a. m. Rev. Sheldon Christian, of Brunswick, the speaker. Church School at 10:15 a. m. Choir rehearsal Saturday at 10 a. m.

Woodstock Seventh-Day Adventist Church
Pastor: David I. Shaw
Saturday:
Sabbath School, 10 a. m.
Church Service, 11:30.

Prayer meeting: Wednesday evening, 7:30.
Pilgrim Fellowship meeting at the church.

Andover Congregational Church
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Mary Knox, Organist
Eddie Snyder,
Supt. of Church School

Sunday, March 17: 9:30 a. m. Church School; 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

Tuesday, March 19: 2:30 p. m. at the church; Troop 116 of Brownies; Troop 533 of Jr. Girl Scouts.

Wednesday, March 20: 7 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.

Rumford Point Congregational Church
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Burton Falkofsky,
Supt. of Church School

Sunday, March 17: 9:30 a. m. Morning Worship; 10:45 a. m. Church School; 5 p. m. Junior Youth Group; 6:15 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship; 7 p. m. Old Fashioned Hymn Sing.

Monday, Mar. 18, After School: Den 2, Cub Scouts, at the Hanover Town House; Den 3, Cub Scouts, at the home of Mrs. June Stearns; Den 5, Cub Scouts, at the Rumford Center Den.

Tuesday, March 19: 3:45 p. m. Brownie Girl Scouts at the church.

Wednesday, March 20: 7 p. m. Mid Week Lenten Service with Rev. Nelson Felch of the Rumford Baptist Church as guest minister.

Friday, March 22: 7 p. m. Troop 509 of Boy Scouts at the church.

Saturday, March 23: 7 p. m. Jr. Choir Rehearsal; 7:30 p. m. Sr. Choir Rehearsal.

Cozy Inn Nursing Home
Sunday, March 17: 2 p. m. Worship service with Rev. Nelson E. Felch as guest minister.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints
South Paris Branch, 19 Maple St.
Sacrament Service, worship service for entire family, Sunday, 8:00 p. m.

Sunday School, gospel instruction for all ages, Sunday, 10:30 a. m.

Young Men's and Young Women's Mutual Improvement Association, Tuesday, 8:00 p. m.

Primary (children ages 4-12), Tuesday, 8:00 p. m.

Relief Society (Women's organization), Tuesday, 10:00 a. m.

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COUPLE OBSERVE 25th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Grover of Mason were honored on Saturday evening, March 2nd, with a surprise party at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall, the occasion being their 25th wedding anniversary.

The party was planned by relatives and friends of the honored couple. The hall was attractively decorated with pink and white streamers, wedding bells and bouquets of pink roses and white mums. Miss Christine Grover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover had charge of the guest book assisted by Miss Audrey Jordan. Miss Valerie Clough and Miss Karen Jordan were in charge of the gift table. The lovely anniversary cake was made by Mrs. Adeline Clough and decorated by Mrs. Alberta Merrill.

Serving at the refreshment table were Mrs. Adeline Clough, who cut and served the anniversary cake, Miss Carole Roberts served punch. Others serving were Mrs. Alice Howe, Mrs. Cynthia Littlefield, Mrs. Bette Gilbert and Mrs. Verna Thayer. The couple received many lovely gifts including a money tree. The guest book was signed by one hundred and sixty.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis and family were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mills of Massachusetts. The Mills' enjoyed skiing while here.

Mrs. Donald Walker has been visiting recently with Mrs. Ruby Achorn and family, Belfast, called there by the illness of her uncle, Frank Potter, who passed away Sunday.

The Arts and Crafts and the Childrens Table Workshops of the W. S. C. S. for the month of February worked on decorating several kinds of soap, paper beads, flannel boards, decorated bean bags, head bands of different types and stuffed toys. These were all done at Annie Gordon's. At Sylvia Luxton's they covered cigar boxes, made memo pads, kitchen utility racks, fir balsam bags and several kinds of decorated stationery. The group meets every Wednesday afternoon. After these work meetings they enjoy refreshments.

The evening circle of the W. S. C. S. met at the home of Muriel Butters with 10 members present. The devotions were led by Rachel MacKay. She showed an interesting film strip on Bible paintings. Virginia Keniston led the program. She demonstrated the fundamentals of charcoal painting and gave a short talk on art itself. She gave the group pieces of charcoal and paper and asked them to draw a simple subject that she had set up for them. The group found the program to be very interesting. The hostess served refreshments at the close of the program.

WEEK IN OXFORD CO.

Republican primary candidates of Oxford County headed by State Senator Norman K. Ferguson, of Hanover, were in Rumford to meet with the Republican voters, Wednesday evening at the Hotel Harris. Republican primary hopefuls include Rupert Aldrich and Richard Whiting, candidates for judge of probate. Norman K. Ferguson Jr., who is seeking a County Commissioner's seat rounded out the contingent of candidates.

RABIES CLINICS TO BE HELD IN AREAS NOT PREVIOUSLY BENEFITTING

Maine State Department of Agriculture personnel will conduct clinics for the inoculation of animals against rabies in several townships which have not yet had the benefit of this service. The border of the rabies epidemic area in the Northwestern part of the state has been progressively moving southward and eastward toward several of the state's more heavily populated areas. This winter the illness crossed the Kennebec and Androscoggin rivers carried by foxes which were presumably able to cross these rivers on the ice. It has been shown in other areas that rivers constitute natural boundaries to the spread of rabies in foxes, but this has been only in areas where the rivers do not freeze.

To counter the threat posed by this migration, Agriculture personnel will conduct clinics along the advancing boundary of the rabies epidemic line in order to provide a "buffer zone" of immunized domestic animals and thereby set up another shield to protect humans from the disease. Dr. John Woodcock, State Veterinarian, announced that clinics would be held in: Fryeburg, March 19; Norway and South Paris, March 20; Belgrade, March 21; Jay, March 22; Madison and Ashland, March 29, on the dates indicated. No charge for this service will be made.

Dog ownership carries with it the responsibility of protecting friends and neighbors from rabies which a dog owner's pet might acquire from undiscovered contact with a fox. Immunization of the animal can prevent this transmission.

Dog owners are warned to confine their dogs in the rabies area until May 1 at which time any poison bait inadvertently missed by the fox poisoning teams will be rendered safe by the weather.

Alan Walker, Westbrook, spent the week end at his home in Northwest Bethel.

LEGION AUXILIARY

The Mundi-Allen Unit and Post No. 81 met at the Legion Hall, Tuesday evening for a 6:30 supper. Forty-seven attended the Legion's 48th Birthday Anniversary. The cake was presented to Commander Rodney Jordan by President Carolyn Brooks on behalf of the Auxiliary.

A business meeting at 8 o'clock followed the meeting. Sixteen members were present and five officers answered roll call. It was announced that 20 packages of soft-covered books were packed and sent to South Vietnam and an infant's layette to Malaysia by the Legion and Auxiliary.

Donations to Easter Seals foundation, USO and one to Pride Training School, the last by request of a convalescing veteran. Three markers are to be ordered for deceased members on line for Memorial Day. The Oxford County Council meets with the Post and Auxiliary on Tuesday, March 19. The county's Girls State delegate, Kathy Campbell, of Canton, will give her report of her week's stay at Colby College for 1967. State President Ruth Drake, Department Secretary Isabel Pinkham and Eleanor Drinkwater, first vice president of the 2nd District will be guests. Carolyn Brooks is chairman of refreshments.



GOULD STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN STATE GYMNAS-TIC MEET

Susan Wyke (above), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wyke of Rockport, who will perform on the balance beam. A junior, Susan has already placed third in a regional gymnastics meet.

Richard D'Alessandro (below), son of Dr. and Mrs. Alfred D'Alessandro of Brooklyn, N. Y., will compete on the even parallel bars. He placed sixth in the regional gymnastics meet.

Mrs. Arlene Limrick, girls' physical education instructor, will attend the meet with the Gould participants.



OXFORD POMONA GRANGE

Bear River Grange, Newry, was host to Oxford Pomona Grange, No. 2, March 5th, with attendance of 50. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Guests were from New Century, Cumberland - Androscoggin Pomonas of Maine and Androscoggin Valley Pomona of New Hampshire.

The Lecturer Edith Newell asks that all officers please ask the guest officers they are to get for the May Pomona meeting to furnish a number for the program.

The Pomona hospital bed is back at Paris Grange Hall, South Paris, ready to be loaned again. Master Eugene Buswell was auctioneer for the Scholarship Fund. Seven dollars and forty-five cents was realized. Future donations or articles to be auctioned off for this fund will be welcomed.

The resignation of Madeline Jacobs as Flora was accepted. Leah Deegan was elected and installed as Flora. Installing Master was Francis Conant. Marshal, Hazel Conant; Emblem Bearer, Abigail Buswell; Regalia Bearer, Shirley Heald and it was done in excellent manner.

Beatrice Fogg was accepted in membership by demit.

Our Master asks that former members please rejoin. Also that word be spread around Oxford County that an open meeting will be held at Norway Grange Hall, March 16th, at 7:30 p. m., sponsored by Commissioner of Agriculture Maynard Dolloff on the increasing danger of rabies. This important meeting is for everyone not just Granges. In case you might get bitten by a bat or a wild or domestic animal.

Arthur Sturtevant was appointed to assist on the Resolution Committee with Cedric Judkins, Arlene Swan and Glenn Chute, and the resolution on new bridge between Lewiston and Auburn was approved with but one exception as to the funds for it.

Those on the sick list are Hattie Hutchinson, Bethel; Alma Whitman, Pikes Hill nursing home, Norway; Ned Cox, Andrews nursing home, South Paris; Milian Bennett, Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

March 16th is the final date on the A. S. and L. A. S. Contest.

Norman Hill gave a report on the Youth, Oxford Grange, Welchville, came out second in the State Bowling League Contest.

Our next Pomona meeting will be with Oxford Grange, Welchville, April 2, a 6:30 p. m. supper. This will be Youth Night; Master, Phillip House; Overseer, Jeanette Sturtevant; Steward, Henry Deegan; Assistant Steward, Harry Buswell; Treasurer, Homer Ward; Secretary, Shirley Ward; Lady Assistant Steward, Shirley Heald. Other officers to be appointed later.

W. & C. chairman Rachel Sturtevant asks that the dresses be finished for judging.

Jack Brooks of Middlebury College, Vermont, spent the week end at home.

MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Cor. — The Skidoo Club met at Mrs. Catherine Bragg's camp for lunch Sunday and their all went traveling afterwards.

Mrs. Doris Poulin of Rumford with Mr. and Mrs. Justin Clahosey and their four children visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harvey Sunday, then went skidooning.

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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

The Ladies Circle will meet March 20 at the Sunday school room. There will be a public food sale held at this time beginning at 2:30 p. m. and ending at 4 p. m.

The Mt. Abram Fish and Game Association will have a pot luck supper at the Town Hall, March 21, at 6:30 p. m., followed by their regular meeting.

The Youth Group will sponsor a food sale at Hathaway's Country Store on Friday afternoon, March 22.

Charlie Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith left for Rhode Island, Wednesday, where he will join his Naval Reserve unit on a ship.

Herschel Cole is working at Ekco Housewares Inc.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeNormandie and sons, Jay and Jon, of Norwood, Mass., came to Bethel by plane Friday night to spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett DeNormandie of Greenwood Center.

Mrs. Loren Roberts is ill.

Mrs. Rowena Dunham visited her aunts, Mrs. Stella Ring and Mrs. Iva Packard, Monday, at the Chapel Valley nursing home in West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Cole of West Peru were callers at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lorraine Gosselin and children of Lewiston, accompanied by a friend were Sunday callers at her mother's, Mrs. Marion Tibbets.

Verne Mills, West Greenwood, was a Monday caller at the home of his son, John Mills, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cole and family went to Freeport, Saturday, to visit with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring and her mother, Mrs. Blanche Bennett.

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Abbott, Portland, Mrs. Hattie Curtis and Guy

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SONGO POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.

Mrs. Maud Kimball spent the week end with her daughters in South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Keniston spent the week end with relatives in Portland. Their daughter and family of Waterville were also visitors there.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Storman and family of New Gloucester were visiting the Robert Andersons during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kimball and Sylvia were business callers at the Voter Hill Farm in Farmington Sunday, called on the Lawrence Days in New Sharon, visited relatives in Unity, and called on her sister-in-law in the Seton Hospital, Waterville. Mrs. Irene Hutchinson returned with them.

Heath, West Sumner, and Mrs. Lettie Ford, West Paris, Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. James Guphill and Miss Gladys Parker of East Rumford visited the Fords and enjoyed the torchlight parade and fireworks held on Mt. Abram.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Libby, Oakland, and son, Greg, and friend, Sandra, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Bertha Flanders and family.

Monday night, March 11, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Farwell and family were visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Farwell, to help his mother celebrate her birthday. She also received telephone calls from her other two sons, Louville, from New Orleans, La., and Richard from Portland.

Ellsworth Hathaway visited his mother Tuesday at the Maine Medical Center in Portland.

The Community Club met at the school house Tuesday evening with ten members present. The club donated to the Heart Fund. The next meeting will be April 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Farwell were guests of his sister, Mrs. Mary Smith, Norway, Sunday in honor of Mrs. Farwell's birthday on March 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Jordan and family were visitors Sunday of Mrs. Bertha Flanders, Mrs. Ella Jordan and Mrs. Ethlyn Ruokolainen.

Charlotte Cole and Phillip House of Bryant Pond took part in the Hootenanny at West Paris last Friday evening.

The Youth Group will be conducting the services of the Union Church this Sunday.

Jim DeNormandie came Monday night to spend the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett DeNormandie of Greenwood Center.

The community extends its congratulations and best wishes to Nancy Dyer and Blaine Mills on their marriage Saturday.

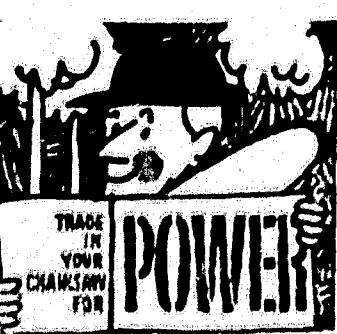
Sunday callers at Loren Roberts were Mrs. Carl Brooks and Moses Corbett of West Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole and

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are requested to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

Fred Q. Haines, late of Bethel deceased; Floribel Haines of Bethel. Administratrix without bond. February 20, 1968.

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Charlotte of Greenwood Center.

The Mt. Abram 4-H Club gave demonstrations at the Town Hall Tuesday evening to families and friends. For most of these girls it was their first demonstration, and they did very well. The girls participating and the titles of their demonstrations were: Penny Savage, How to Set a Table Properly; Marcia Mills, How to Make Butterscotch Cookies; Pam Coolidge, How to Make an Ashtray; Kati Bolen, How to Make Peanut Butter Cookies; Robin Fliske, Outdoor Cautions When Camping and Hiking; Patti Savage, Cottage Cheese and Pineapple Salad; Althea Chase, Camping Dinner; Kim Coolidge, Guinea Pig's Diet; Becky Colby, How to Make Quickie Cookies. The winners were Becky Colby, Robin Fliske and Penny Savage. Robin Fliske and Becky Colby will be participating in the Area Demonstrations at Mexico, Friday evening at 7 p. m. Winners from that competition will go on to participate in the County Demonstrations.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hanscom and Stephanie were recent week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Churchill.

Leland Farr spent the week end at his farm on Rowe Hill.

Callers at Harold Churchill's on the week end were: Frank and Warren Waterhouse of West Paris, Ethel Martin, Mary Mills and Leland Farr.

Richard Chase was given a party Sunday afternoon, March 10, by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chase. In honor of his seventh birthday. Games and refreshments were enjoyed by the following: Barry Coolidge, Jeff Swan, Everett Chase, Brent Swan, James Hoyt, Keith Brooks, Andrew Chase, Althea Chase, and the honor guest.

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LOCAL EXPLORER SCOUT POST RECEIVES CHARTER — Last Wednesday evening Ernest Perkins, Neighborhood Commissioner of the Rangeley District, presented the first charter to Frank Vogt, leader of Explorer Scout Post, 504, of Bethel. The complete troop is pictured above. Seated, left to right: Tom Coolidge, Burton Mills, Danny Vogt, Bob Colford, Preston Merrill, and Chuck Smith. Standing: Jimmy Thurston, Ned Robertson, Mr. Perkins, Mr. Vogt, Tom Davis, and Bill Eames.



GOULD STUDENTS CHOSEN FOR ALL-STATE CHORUS — Selected through audition for an All State Chorus, the Gould students above will participate April 4, 5, and 6 in the All State Festival at Caribou. Left to right: Fred Reinhart, Dorothy Lovejoy, Kathy Powers, Jim Mann, Peter Martin, and Gretchen Dock.

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MILTON CONCORD POND ROAD

Maude Brown, Correspondent

March 6: Well we went to Auburn. Had to leave the car came home in a brand new Chevy Nova Sport Coupe '68. Ate chicken sandwiches riding. Got 1/2 gallon ice cream which we ate when we got home. Went back Thursday to get our own car.

Bettina Roberts was the first to get this cold then Julie and Steven. Runny nose, cough, sore throat. Now, I, Maude Brown, ache every place but my throat. My dinner nauseated me. The girls are well enough to go to school and Steven to play with his new match box city. I believe I'll live.

March 7: I love these people of whom I read in the Little Bethel Citizen, some of whom I know, and some I know by sight not through names. Some wrote me when I was having all my troubles last fall.

My sister, Edith, and Harold Jarvis took fish supper (dinner really) with us, Francis and Elaine Roberts Friday, spending the evening talking about cellars getting very chilly, an old fashioned winter — need put the lantern in the potato bin.

Francis, Elaine, children, the mother, Grandmother Maude Brown went to Littleton, N. H., Saturday to visit Mr. Roberts family. Some swell folks! We sing, dance, play accordion. Ida Boynton's piece is learning. They went to a dance to the Hayloft and to the Eagles Club. Back at 1 o'clock to play, sing, and dance till 4 o'clock. I got 3 hours sleep I believe. Just as we were leaving, sister Julia and Dick came. We got home at 4:30 back to Maine. Sunday morning the mother, Mrs. Lula Roberts came for dinner at 2 o'clock.

Ella Dyer spent Wednesday with Agnes Coffin and Cora Millett also visited Lula Davis at Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox went to South Paris Sunday. Called on her uncle, William Cushman, also called on Ruth's mother, Mrs. Clare McDonald and her grandmother, Lula Lubeck, who is quite feeble and their daughter, Martha Ricker.

Stevie Milligan called on the A. Cox's selling garden seed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Bernier and friend, Mrs. Packard, called on Mrs. A. Cox and Mrs. Ella Dyer Tuesday, 5th.

Sunday, Ella Dyer called on Harry Poland and Emma Farnum. Took her for a ride to Norway to her nephew's, Clyde Hemingway's.

Ella Dyer spent Tuesday afternoon with her niece, Mrs. Adelle Childs.

Ruth Cox got a call Monday evening from her brother, James Russell, of New York. As of March 23 he is leaving New York. He has a job as head scenic designer and costume designer for the Albany Playhouse at Albany, Pa.

Sunday, 3rd, Ella Dyer spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Harris Bernier.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Ricker and children, Emory, Ruth, Dale, and Wayne, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. A. Cox. They went ski-dooing while they were there, also Tommy Morgan. Mrs. Cox made a birthday cake for Dale.

Ella Dwyer and R. Cox got word Friday that their nephew, Harry Floyd, of Sanford passed away suddenly. He was grandson of Sidney Russell, son of Marie Russell.

BOY SCOUTS 565

Troop 565 met at the Congregational Church Tuesday night. 21 boys were present. 11 boys went on the camping trip last week end. The boys were: Preston Merrill, Chuck Smith, Lew Cobb, Bobby Howe, David Vaughan, Roger Buck, David Gary, Jimmy Swan, Frank Burris, Steve Colby, Eddy Currier and Scoutmaster Cummings. Troop scribe, Tommy Howe.



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GREENWOOD CITY

Mrs. Collette Morgan, Correspondent.
Most Saturdays this winter I have been content to stay inside and observe from my windows as I cleaned, washed, cooked and did all the other necessary things. The knife-like winds were always there and I thoroughly dislike the winter wind.

This Saturday was different, so beautiful with its shifting shadows and warmth. I longed for a tingling scramble to the highest ridge to look for the changes in the land, trees, brooks, and all things of nature. It is a little early yet but they will be there for the snow, sun, rains and the winds surely have strengthened the forest beauty. The wind has a universal influence on our trees. It seeks to find them all, the towering pine or lowly bush.

While the snow may bend them, the lightning take one here or there, the winds whisper among them, exercising them or fingering each leaf, gentle as a child. But the change can be sudden, as in a storm. Then there is a roaring, like the sea as the winds pass on plucking leaves and an occasional limb. We wonder at times how any survive but after the storm is over there they stand, tranquil, the same forest towering fresh and majestic. Thus the forests welcome the winds and the winds the forest.

Yes, there are still places where forests grow; Where quietness reigns and little brooks flow. Look to them and leave your care. You'll find rare beauty, for it's always there.

H. Van Dyke who saw the lovely things of nature puts it better this way in his "Salute to the Tree".

"A pillar of power, a dome of delight,
A shrine of song and a joy of sight!"

There's a little thatch-roof cottage
In a land that's far away,
Near a meadow green with shamrock
Where the elves and fairies play. (Holmes)

Thus we think of the Emerald Isle, the shamrock, St. Patrick and the Irish this week.

What is an Irishman? Barbara Burrow tells it this way:

What is an Irishman? He is the proudest of men. He goes his happy way with a lilt in his step and a song in his heart. This delightful, dynamic creature is gloriously in love with life!

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What is an Irishman? He is a man of song—gay lilting songs of the little people; loud, robust songs of the battles and victories of his beloved Ireland. He is a talking man, and his beautiful words can turn a simple tale into a soul-stirring saga. And Oh! his gift for blarney will forever be unequalled and unchallenged! What is an Irishman? Why on

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Marian Chase, Correspondent.
Mrs. Linda Ellingwood was guest of honor at a personal shower at the home of Mrs. Aylis Ellingwood. The gifts were arranged on a decorated table. Refreshments were served including a shower cake made by Mae Emery. Evelyn Chamberlain won the nursery rhyme game. Gifts were received from Lois Ellingwood, Lila Ellingwood, Gladys Ellingwood, Joan Young, Dot Childs, Gladys Gildden, Elsie Ellingwood, Evelyn Chamberlain, Sandra Poland, Mary Leathers, Nina Bradford, Florence Ralph, Margaret Nangle, Leone Penley, Beatrice Heath, Myrtle Bonney, Marie Hibler, Lettie Ford, Dora Ford, Elsie Todd.

Kindergarten registration will be held March 19th at the Legion Memorial School from 12:30 - 4 p. m. Children must be five by Oct. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Ring, Melody, Mitchell, Middletown, Conn., were week end guests of his mother, Mrs. Rena Ring.

Ronald Hazelton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hazelton, is home on a ten-day leave from the U. S. Coast Guard.

Callers on Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Watson were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Whitney and two grandchildren, Kittery; Mrs. Ella Whitney, Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Curtis, Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. C. Tyler Conant, Poland; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bowen, Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Ricky, Randy, Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Ruokolainen, Arnold. Cram spent the day Sunday at Chase's camp at Greenwood.

Eleanor B. Forbes - Goodwill Class will meet March 20 at Eva Keniston's at 7:30 p. m. Leader: Lee Dean. Devotions: Edna Emery. Roll Call: Saviour. Bible Reading: Eva Keniston. Snack lunch at the close of the meeting.

St. Patrick's Day, he is king, conqueror, minstrel, bard and wizard. He is more powerful, learned and vital than any other man alive. And while he is justly proud, he is also grateful to the Almighty—for health and love, for family and friends, for a rousing song and a good argument, but most of all, he's grateful that HE IS AN IRISHMAN!

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millett were in Lewiston on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Morgan attended the funeral of Mrs. Morgan's grandfather, Carlton Cox, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pierce, West Paris, were recent callers at Norman Millett's.

My nephew writes of his few days of R. and R. in Penang, Malaysia, and enclosed a picture of one of the gardens he visited. He is now back in Vietnam.

Mrs. Ruth Hastings, Bethel, called to see Mrs. Clyde Morgan, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Chase, West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes were supper guests Friday evening of their son, Glenn, and family at Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Notgate at South Paris, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes visited Mr. and Mrs. "Buster" Waterhouse and Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Libby in Portland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauri Tamminen, Yarmouth, were Sunday callers at Nestor Tamminen's and Willie Yates'.

We are so pleased to see Doris Hayes out again, able to teach, and take part in other things, after her many weeks of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen, Massachusetts, were at their camp here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt attended the movies in Lewiston, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millett visited Roy Millett, Sunday, in Rumford.

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Granite Chapter OES will convene for a stated meeting March 14 at 7:30. There will be an election of officers and annual report. A pot luck supper will precede the meeting at 6 p. m. Supper committee: Lillian Huston, Gladys McKeene, Susan Doughty.

Troop Committee will meet on March 14 at 7 p. m. at the Legion Home. Vernon Inman will be host.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Stevens have received word that their son has been promoted to Sp4. He is serving with the U. S. Army in Tan Tru in the Mekong Delta. Sp4 David Olson has arrived in Vietnam.

Nimble Fingers 4-H Club held their 8th business meeting. The winter carnival showed a profit of \$42.09. We sincerely thank each and every one who helped to make it a success. We voted to give to the March of Dimes. The older girls plan to go swimming April 26th. The younger ones will have an April Fools party on April 4th. Younger girls taking crafts will meet March 7 and the clothing girls will meet March 14. All those taking Reading will meet March 11 and those with knitting on March 18.

Because of the number of girls in the club we meet in two groups. Therefore a few more officers had to be elected. The older girls elected Ellen Pray as assistant secretary, Lolita Linindoll as treasurer, and Natalie Lamb as recreation leader. The younger girls elected Tina Lilmattia as president, Judy Hazelton as vice president, Debra Boutiller as secretary, Diana Dunham, Robin Newell as song leaders.

We made plans for an exciting evening for the public. Watch for future announcements.

Nancy Farr and Karen Frank will attend the LRY Spring Conference in Saco-Biddeford, March 15-17.

WOODSTOCK

A special week-long series of programs for the youth begins Saturday, March 16, at the South Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church, and continues each evening at 7:30, until March 23. It's unfortunate that the only thing some of the older generation can recall about today's youth is some sensational story they've read about hippies. The vast majority of American—and Adventist youth don't grow beards, don't dress sloppily, and don't go a month between baths. These special meetings are designed to encourage both senior and junior youth to strengthen themselves spiritually by applying Christian principles more faithfully to their every day lives.

All youth from surrounding towns are invited to attend.

OUR SCOUTS
Den 1: Met at Mrs. Greenleaf's. We had cookies and lemonade. We made boats and kites. Nathan made a birdhouse. Keeper of the Buckskin, Peter Bodwell.

EAST STONEHAM

Gladys Kilgore, Correspondent.
Several from here attended the funeral of Robert Henderson at Huff's funeral parlor in South Paris Sunday. At one time he lived here and was one of our best neighbors. For the last few years he has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stearns in Waterford. Through his late illness he was tenderly cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Stearns.

Several of the students attended the dance at Fryeburg Academy Saturday evening. Mrs. John Hatstat and two sons are staying with her mother, Mrs. Agnes Files.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson visited Mr. and Mrs. Byron Emery in their new home Friday evening.

The Thurstons have sold their farm in West Stoneham to the Evergreen Valley Skiway. They plan to make their home in Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox Bickford from Norway visited Mr. and Mrs. John Grover Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Grover and little son, Billy, were also visitors there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Flanders and family from Paris Hill visited at the Flanders home Friday evening. Mrs. Ona McAllister was also a visitor there.

Several from Northeast Lovell attended our church services here Sunday morning also Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Brown from North Waterford.

Friends of Mrs. Maud Kittredge are most sorry to hear of her illness and hope she will get better and be home again soon.

It seemed good to hear crows this morning. I also saw a flock of ducks fly over.

Craig Millett is in the hospital at Fort Bragg, being treated for a broken jaw he received from a fall.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

WEEK OF MARCH 18

Monday: Spaghetti and meat, green beans, cookies, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Tuesday: Veg-beef stew, tomato juice, pudding, cheese slices, hot buttered biscuits, milk.

Wednesday: no school

Thursday: Baked beans, hot dogs, cabbage salad, steamed brown bread, Jello, bread and butter, milk.

Friday: Fish sticks, mashed potato, stewed tomatoes, apple pie, bread, honey and butter, milk.

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10 YEARS AGO

Buckfield reported a decrease of \$12,143.97 in its total appropriations for the ensuing year.

The snow fall in Rumford's vicinity was reported to be seven and one half feet.

Pvt. Norman L. Davis of Newry arrived in Inchon, Korea, March 4th.

Deaths: William B. Hall, Mrs. Lena Olson Thurston.

20 YEARS AGO

The Bethel School Committee voted not to accept the Gilead school students for the year 1948-1949.

The first meeting of the recently organized Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association was held at the home of Dana B. Putnam, Rumford Corner.

Death: Mrs. Sarah Warren Stearns.

30 YEARS AGO

Included in the list of Federal aid roads approved by the Governor and Council were 1.5 miles of bituminous macadam in Greenwood and Bethel, \$87,000 and one mile in Fryeburg, \$32,000.

Deaths: Samuel J. Caldwell, Joseph Gallant.

40 YEARS AGO

Leslie Davis' mill on his place, the former John Russell farm, Middle Intervale Road was ready for sawing lumber.

Dean Hale, 29, of Conway, guardian of the game sanctuary in the Wild River Valley, was found dead in Blue Brook Camp. Investigating officials ruled the death a suicide.

ROBERT HENDERSON

Robert C. Henderson, died Thursday, March 7, 1968, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stearns, North Waterford, following a long illness.

He was born in Canada, Feb. 8, 1888 and was employed for a time at the Maine Power Company and later by the Portland Pipeline Company. He had lived in North Waterford for the past 26 years, coming from East Stoneham. His wife, the former Mary E. Raynor, died in 1941. For the past eight years he had lived with the Stearns family.

There are no near relatives. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Huff Funeral Home, 21 Main St., South Paris. Interment will be at Hillside Cemetery at East Stoneham, in the spring.



Miss Diane Jean Williamson

IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Mrs. Louise Lincoln is ill at her home with the flu.

Mrs. Sandra Gunther returned home from the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, last week.

Miss Nancy Chapin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapin.

Jill Hutchins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hutchins, fell recently and broke her arm.

Clarence Remington has returned home from the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mrs. Nellie Cummings returned home last week from the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conner visited over the week end with their son, Parker, at Fort Dix, N. J.

Richard Packard, Boston, Mass., John and Eileen Quirk of Duxbury, Mass., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard and family.

Change of address for Duane Gordon: Duane Gordon Sp5—RA 11461595, H H Co, 2nd BN, 502nd Inf., 1st Bde, 101st ABN, Dev., APO San Francisco, Calif. 96383.

The Afternoon Circle of the W.S.C.S. met at the home of Mrs. Richard Carter with 17 members present. After the business meeting the program was turned over to Myrtle Lapham who read a very interesting article with the help of some of the other members, entitled "I go to Church on Sunday" by Dr. George Crane.

The group is studying a New Bible course now. It is led by Gladys Guernsey with Minnie Wilson and Annie Gordon helping. The course is being taken from the book "Message of the Bible" by Charles M. Lagmon. It is supposed to help to read and understand the Bible more effectively and discover the WORD within the words. The lessons are starting with the Old Testament. After the meeting Mrs. Carter served refreshments which were enjoyed by all.

BORN

In Caribou, March 12, to Dr. and Mrs. Theodore Cummings, a son.

DIED

In North Waterford, March 7, Robert Henderson, aged 80 years.

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The betrothal of Miss Diane Jean Williamson to Walter N. Getchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Footman Jr. of Groene is being announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williamson of Upton.

Miss Williamson will be graduated from Bliss College, Lewiston, in June. She is employed part-time at the Phil-O-Mor Restaurant, Auburn. Her fiancé attended Greene schools and served with the U. S. Navy. He is now employed by the American Biltrite Rubber Co., Inc., at Lisbon.

No date has been announced for the wedding.

Robert Campbell and friend of Phillips were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Carson and Tamli.

Arlian Jodrey of the Portland Pipeline, in Portland, is spending a weeks vacation with his family in town.

Mrs. Caroline Merrill was a patient at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, a few days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis visited with Mr. and Jerry Davis and family in Cheshire, Mass., from Friday until Monday.

Miss Amy Bryant and Miss Laurie Brown, U. of M., Orono, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown, Nancy and Rebecca.

Mrs. Harold Stanley has returned home from Portland where she has been visiting with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stanley.

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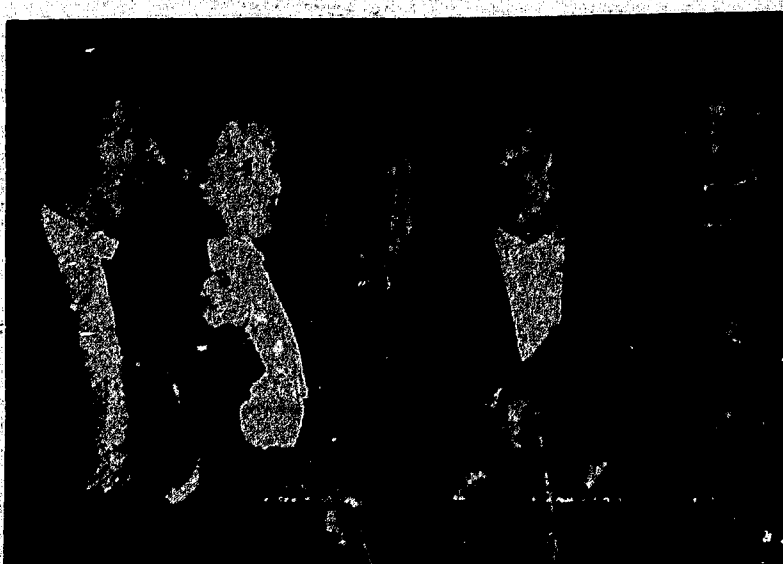
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FATHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET SUCCESSFUL

About 128 Girl Scouts, Cadettes, Juniors, Brownie Scouts and their fathers attended a most successful Father-Daughter Banquet on Saturday evening at the Congregational Church. Food, good spirits and proud fathers were in abundance as the Scouts provided Birthday Cakes to Scouters that they made themselves, and a skit of clever entertainment.

Scout Leader Peg Vaughan wishes to thank all those responsible for making this one of the most successful such affairs. And a special thanks to all members of the kitchen and serving crew, Troop Committee, Legion Auxiliary and mothers—their efforts kept things rolling along smoothly and kept the food coming. A real tribute to what community effort can do for Scouting. Thanks.

EASTER MUSIC FESTIVAL TO BE PRESENTED MARCH 31 AT WEST PARISH CHURCH

The local choirs are again combining their talents in presenting an evening of Easter music to be climaxed on March 31, at 7:30 P. M., in the West Parish Congregational Church. Those represented are: Bethel Methodist, West Parish Congregational, Episcopal, Catholic, West Bethel Union, and Locke Mills Union.

Choir members are: Sopranos: Martha Bennett, Jerl Brooks, Shirley Charest, Mary Lou Fiske, Barbara Gallant, Judy Haskell, Janis Kennah, Nesta Littlefield, Stephanie Stoakes, Harriet Stowell, Janet Stowell, Elsie Waldron, Ginny Walker.

Altos: Margaret Bean, Cindy Brooks, Mary Brown, Muriel Butters, Amy Davis, Nellie Frankiewicz, Sue Hatch, Gertrude Hutchins, Kathryn Lovejoy, Kay McMillin, Dorothy Lovejoy, Peggy Vaughan, Martha Warner.

Tenors: Al Charest, Stan Fox, Jim Mann, George Renwick, William Runyon.

Bases: Stan Davis, George Stebbins, Dexter Stowell, Carroll Valentine, Benjamin Warner, Seth Warner.

Director: Jim Owen.

Organists: Fred Reinhart, Vicki Brown, Nesta Littlefield. Rehearsal notice: The rehearsal next week will be held on Thursday, March 21, in the Congregational Church at the usual time. At least two rehearsals should be held there prior to the concert.

VAGHY STRING QUARTET TO PRESENT CONCERT AT 7 P. M.

on March 24, at William Bingham Hall for Gould students with the public welcome as guests of the Academy. Above, left to right, are members of the quartet: Dezzo Vaghy, first violinist; Tibor Vaghy, violist; Stephen Kecske-methy, second violinist; Einar Holm, violin-cellist.

The Vaghy String Quartet was founded in 1964 in New York City by the brothers, Dezzo and Tibor Vaghy. The quartet has had the privilege of studying with the Juilliard String Quartet at the Juilliard School of Music and the Amadeus String Quartet at the Aspen Music School in Colorado. Since its founding the Vaghy Quartet has performed extensively on the East coast and toured the West. Their concerts have included several premieres, including some at Hunter College and Composers' Forum in New York City. In addition to radio and television appearances the Quartet, as Young Artists of Aspen, has recorded the Mozart "Dissonant" and Shostakovitch Eighth String Quartets.

MORNING COFFEE

Mrs. Richard S. Waldron, assisted by Mrs. Henry Robertson and Mrs. Alton Luxton, was hostess at a neighborhood farewell party on Friday morning honoring Mrs. James Hutchins. The Hutchins family, who moved last week end to their new home on Bridge Street, will be greatly missed by their friends and neighbors of the last 14 years. Mrs. Hutchins was presented a pink and white azalea tree by the following invited guests: Mrs. Vernon Brown, Mrs. Arthur Garber, Mrs. Lawrence Lord, Mrs. Gardiner Gorman, Mrs. Leslie Poore, Mrs. Blake MacKay, Mrs. Albert Grover, Mrs. Ernest Perkins, and the hostesses.

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Sunday River: Cheryl Wight, John Gauthier.

South Bethel: Clyde Crockett, Jeanne Bachelder, Bonita Sessions night.

Paradise and Vernon: Marlene Sweetser, Jane Lowe sub.

Albany: Wendy Cross, Tommy Anderson, Ellen Clark sub, Byron Lapham, captain.

Gilead: Donald Morin, Teresa Coriveau, David Chapman sub.

Corner Crescent Park Road and Mason Street: Terry Roy, Cathy Vogt.

Ethel Bisbee School: Brenda Lyon, Diane Hunt, Perdita Buck sub.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres. —

Crows have arrived in our community. Presume they are after the food bluejays and squirrels have taken from the bird tray and scattered in the nearby woods. It can't be long before robins will make their appearances. Bluebirds usually come too but because of their scarcity many people never see them anymore. We have been fortunate in being entertained by two pair who have made their home in our orchards in the past. Song sparrows, phoebes, chipping sparrows, and red winged blackbirds are other birds to be watching for in the early days of spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis were in Newry at Bear River Grange to attend Oxford Pomona No. 2 which was entertained by that Grange Tuesday evening, March 5.

Many attended Town Meeting held at the Bryant Pond High School gym. The Willing Workers served doughnuts, coffee and cookies at the meeting. Esther Davis was in charge of refreshments.

Mrs. Myrtle Richardson visited at Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews over the week end.

The Willing Workers will meet with Mrs. Miriam Morgan and Mrs. Sheryl Wilbur, March 14.

CARD OF THANKS

With all your prayers, get well cards and flowers I should make a speedy recovery. I thank each and every one of you.

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LOCAL DEMOCRATS ELECT

OFFICIALS AT

MARCH 10 CAUCUS

The Democratic Town Committee met at the home of Edward Wheeler, March 10, and held a caucus to elect new officers for the years of 1968-69.

The following officers were elected: Chairman, Michael O'Donnell; Vice Chairman, Bette Gilbert, and Secretary and Treasurer, Celia K. Gorman.

Ballot clerks: Celia K. Gorman, Bette Gilbert, Phyllis Blake, and Elizabeth Wheeler.

County Committee: Michael O'Donnell, Bette Gilbert and Dale Thurston.

Town Committee members: George Gilbert, Bette Gilbert, Celia Gorman, Harold Rolfe, Roland Glines, Kay McMillin, Marguerite Kendall, Kenneth Ramage, Andrew Boyd, Rodney Howe, Syl LeClair, Pat Murphy, Bruce Bailey, Rebecca Bailey, Charles Chapin, Edward Wheeler, Elizabeth Wheeler, Martha Sweet, Lewis Sargent, Murray Thurston, Connie Thurston, Dale Thurston, Agnes Thurston, Wallace Saunders, Frances Saunders, Richard Blake, Phyllis Blake, Michael O'Donnell and Susan O'Donnell.

The State Convention will be held at Augusta, May 17 and 18, and delegates elected to attend were Michael O'Donnell, Richard Blake, Edward Wheeler, Dale Thurston, and Joe Vetkosky. Alternates: Elizabeth Wheeler, Phyllis Blake, Bette Gilbert, Agnes Thurston, Susan O'Donnell.

The group was honored to have as guest speaker, Severin Beliveau of Rumford, candidate for State Senator, District Five.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank the people of the Nazarene Church also the Union Church of West Bethel for their beautiful cards and their many prayers offered while I was in the CMG Hospital. Also a great number of townspeople, friends and relatives, and the nurses of the CMG Hospital for the wonderful care while I was there. They sure make you feel at home.

A special thank you to the Rev. Barbara C. Huse and the Rev. Robert W. Jackson of Wolfeboro, N. H., for their remembrance both in thought and prayers, also to my blood donors, both were greatly needed and appreciated. Also to Dr. Anderson of Lewiston for a wonderful job well done. To a wonderful wife who was at my bedside every day.

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SOCIAL SECURITY SET-UP NO FOR YOUNG

It has often been said that men create wars to fight. But the validity of this claim is now being tested by men who are voting for Social Security, their contemporaries, the financing young.

Under Social Security, this "young man" within 3 1/2 years and his employer will contribute \$5,235 on his years.

On the other hand, old starting work paying the maximum next 40 years, no return even if he is useless despite his age.

This young man will contribute \$4,000 the four decades the Medicare portion rates pass Congress. Accumulated at the low rate of 0.9 percent, this would be the time the Social Security man and his wife live past his 98th birthday would be the interest, at 6 percent.

However, if he is widower at age 65, he can possibly recover payments. His maximum benefit of \$218 a month is less than the interest on \$73,275, so this amount is even touching the Methuselah, a lived 969 years, a short-changed by this startling day's young work.

A study by the National Federation of Independent Business, while Social Security to many Americans benefits, today's will pay a premium for his elders.

Even discounting the Social Security or the disability insurance portions of day's young people, life expectancy collect in retirement more than a fraction of the contributions made in the Social Security.

Discounting this maximum employment contributions for years will be \$25,000 per cent interest, \$58,620.

Comparable figures 31 years of Social Security \$4,188 and \$6,201. These are maximum out Medicare. On the other hand, it is possible whose employee's amount to no (with interest) is benefits.

The Social Security by the employee and his employer began in 1935, 10 percent of the first annual income, or a of \$30 on each. It was for 13 years created at an pace in the last years ago, the \$84, three years ago and today it is \$304.50, a half a per cent increase.

Since the current Medicare) is 3.9 percent of the first \$7,800 of income will reach 5.1 with today's young wage well pay 5 per cent earnings to Social Security. And his boss will amount.

Under present law, December, if his income is above \$7,800, young employees will pay \$15,642.50 in six decades, six times the amount.

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